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The EASTERN AFRICA CONSORTIUM for CLINICAL RESEARCH (EACCR)

SECRETARAT TEAM EACCR3



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History and Composition



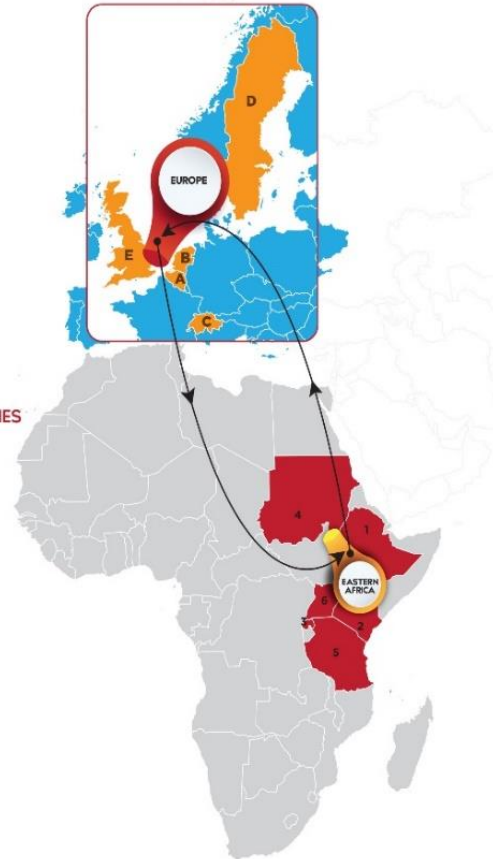
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EUROPEAN PARTNERS

- A. Belgium
- B. Netherlands
- C. Switzerland
- D. Sweden
- E. United Kingdom.

EASTERN AFRICA COUNTRIES

- 1. Ethiopia
- 2. Kenya
- 3. Rwanda
- 4. Sudan
- 5. Tanzania
- 6. Uganda



EACCR1: 2009- 2015

EACCR2: 2017-2021

EACCR3: 2021-2024

AIM

To strengthen and sustain an existing long term- and highly successful collaboration aiming to continue to build capacity among junior SSA researchers



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Leadership



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Overall Project Coordinator
Prof Pontiano Kaleebu



Deputy overall Project Coordinator
Prof Blandina Mmbaga



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Malaria WP Leader:
Dr Norbert Peshu



Training WP Leader:
Prof Reginald Kavishe



NID WP Leader:
Dr Erick Muok



TB WP Leader:
Prof Sayoki
Mfinanga



Project Manager:
Mrs. Emily Nyanzi
Kabuye



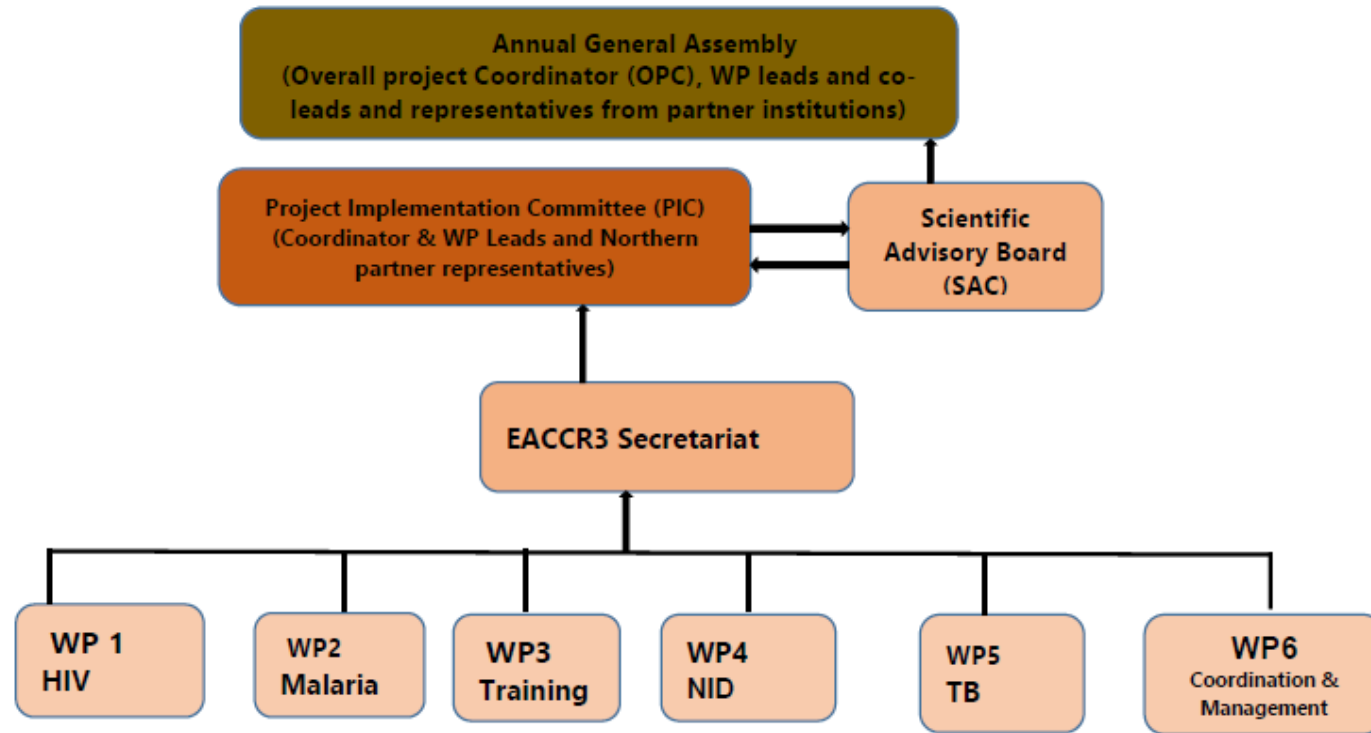
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Organogram



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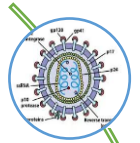
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Work Packages



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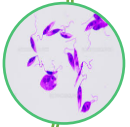
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Malaria - African Research Collaboration for Health Limited, Kenya -Kilifi



Training Node- Kilimanjaro Clinical Research Institute – Moshi



NID – Kenya Medical Research Institute-Kisumu



TB - National Institute for Medical Research Muhimbili



Coordination & Management- Uganda Virus Research Institute



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Clinical Research Monitoring

- Established the Reciprocal Monitoring Scheme (RMS) of 25 monitors
 - 11 trained in EACCR1
- 4 monitors Accredited
- > 30 clinical studies monitored in EACCR2

Partnerships and political linkages

- Support the East African Health Research Commission (EAHRC) to mentor the Young East African Scholars (YEARS)
- NoE scientists are part of technical working groups at MoH of respective countries
- Partner labs are regional reference labs for Africa CDC/ WHO-AFRO
- Partnerships with TGHN to establish the COVID 19 Africa Hub





Trainings & Mentorship



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Mentorships

- 6 PhDs mentored to write and win Post Doc fellowships

Long Term

- 19 Masters
- 5 PhDs
- 2 Post Docs

Short Courses

- 465 Individuals trained on 18 short courses

Online

- 11 online courses
(globalhealthtrials.tghn.org)



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Infrastructural Investments



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- Supported ISO certification for 5 laboratories, and ASLM accreditation for 2 laboratories.
- More than 15 laboratories upgraded
- Set up of data management centres including internet set up, data servers
- Clinical research site upgrades



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MRC/UVRI and LSHTM Uganda Research Unit



Radboud University



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